

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION

AFRICAN AMERICAN TOBACCO CONTROL
LEADERSHIP COUNCIL, ACTION ON
SMOKING AND HEALTH, AMERICAN
MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, AND NATIONAL
MEDICAL ASSOCIATION,

Plaintiffs,

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES, XAVIER BECERRA, in his
official capacity as Secretary of the U.S.
Department of Health and Human Services; U.S.
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; JANET
WOODCOCK, in her official capacity as Acting
Commissioner of Food and Drugs; CENTER FOR
TOBACCO PRODUCTS; MITCH ZELLER in his
official capacity as the Director of the Center for
Tobacco Products,

Defendants.

No. 4:24-cv-01992-HSG

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR
LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF OF *AMICI
CURIAE* MEDICAL AND PUBLIC
HEALTH GROUPS**

Date: January 16, 2025

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Judge: The Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.

Place: Oakland, Courtroom 2, 4th Floor

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Motion for Leave to File Brief of *Amici Curiae* Medical and Public Health Groups in Support of Plaintiffs' Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, and the entire record herein, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the Motion is Granted; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the Brief of *Amici Curiae* Medical and Public Health Groups in Support of Plaintiffs' Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss be e-filed on the docket by counsel.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: 12/2/2024



Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.